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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

YADEL MARTI, EDGARDO BAEZ, HELDER
VELAZQUEZ, JORGE JIMENEZ, JORGE
MINYETY, EDWIN MAYSONET and JOSE
DIAZ, Individually and on Behalf of All Those
Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF
BASEBALL, an unincorporated association
doing business as MAJOR LEAGUE
BASEBALL; ALLAN HUBER "BUD" SELIG;
KANSAS CITY ROYALS BASEBALL CORP.;
MIAMI MARLINS, L.P.; SAN FRANCISCO
BASEBALL ASSOCIATES LLC; BOSTON
RED SOX BASEBALL CLUB L.P.; ANGELS
BASEBALL LP; CHICAGO WHITE SOX
LTD.; ST. LOUIS CARDINALS, LLC;
COLORADO ROCKIES BASEBALL CLUB,
LTD.; BASEBALL CLUB OF SEATTLE, LLP;
THE CINCINNATI REDS, LLC; HOUSTON
BASEBALL PARTNERS LLC; ATHLETICS
INVESTMENT GROUP, LLC; ROGERS
BLUE JAYS BASEBALL PARTNERSHIP;
CLEVELAND INDIANS BASEBALL CO.,
L.P.; CLEVELAND INDIANS BASEBALL
CO., INC.; PADRES L.P.; SAN DIEGO
PADRES BASEBALL CLUB, L.P.;
MINNESOTA TWINS, LLC; WASHINGTON
NATIONALS BASEBALL CLUB, LLC
DETROIT TIGERS, INC.; LOS ANGELES
DODGERS, LLC; LOS ANGELES DODGERS
HOLDING CO.; STERLING METS L.P.;
ATLANTA NATIONAL LEAGUE

Case No. CV 14-03289-RS

Hon. Richard Seeborg

CLASS ACTION

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF LAURA
REATHAFORD ON BEHALF OF
DEFENDANTS**

Complaint filed: July 21, 2014

1 BASEBALL CLUB, INC.; AZPB L.P.,
2 BALTIMORE ORIOLES, INC.; BALTIMORE
3 ORIOLES, L.P.; THE PHILLIES L.P.;
4 PITTSBURGH BASEBALL, INC.,
5 PITTSBURGH BASEBALL P'SHIP; NEW
6 YORK YANKEES P'SHIP; TAMPA BAY
7 RAYS BASEBALL LTD; RANGERS
8 BASEBALL EXPRESS, LLC; RANGERS
9 BASEBALL, LLC; CHICAGO BASEBALL
10 HOLDINGS, LLC; MILWAUKEE BREWERS
11 BASEBALL CLUB, INC.; and MILWAUKEE
12 BREWERS BASEBALL CLUB, L.P.

Defendants.

1 TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

2 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT, pursuant to Local Rule 5-1 (c)(2), Laura Reathaford
 3 of Proskauer Rose LLP, 2049 Century Park East, 32nd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90067 hereby
 4 appears on behalf of defendants Office of The Commissioner of Baseball, an unincorporated
 5 association doing business as Major League Baseball; Allan Huber “Bud” Selig; Kansas City
 6 Royals Baseball Corp.; Miami Marlins, L.P.; San Francisco Baseball Associates, LLC. ; Boston
 7 Red Sox Baseball Club L.P.; Angels Baseball LP; Chicago White Sox Ltd.; St. Louis Cardinals,
 8 LLC; Colorado Rockies Baseball Club, Ltd.; Baseball Club of Seattle, LLP; The Cincinnati
 9 Reds, LLC; Houston Baseball Partners LLC; Athletics Investment Group, LLC; Rogers Blue
 10 Jays Baseball Partnership; Cleveland Indians Baseball Co., L.P.; Cleveland Indians Baseball Co.,
 11 Inc.; Padres L.P.; San Diego Padres Baseball Club, L.P.; Minnesota Twins, LLC; Washington
 12 Nationals Baseball Club, LLC; Detroit Tigers, Inc.; Los Angeles Dodgers, LLC; Los Angeles
 13 Dodgers Holding Co.; Sterling Mets L.P.; Atlanta National League Baseball Club, Inc.; AZPB
 14 L.P.; The Phillies L.P.; Pittsburgh Baseball, Inc.; Pittsburgh Baseball P’ship; New York Yankees
 15 P’ship; Tampa Bay Rays Baseball Ltd; Rangers Baseball Express, LLC; Rangers Baseball, LLC;
 16 Chicago Baseball Holdings, LLC; Milwaukee Brewers Baseball Club, Inc.; and Milwaukee
 17 Brewers Baseball Club, L.P. in the above-entitled action. ¹

18 Ms. Reathaford is an active member in good standing admitted to the State Bar of
 19 California, is a member of the bar of this Court and is permitted to practice in the Northern
 20 District of California.

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 22 ¹ Plaintiffs have incorrectly named as Defendants the following entities that are not proper
 23 parties to this litigation: Chicago Baseball Holdings, LLC, Pittsburgh Baseball, Inc., Pittsburgh
 24 Baseball Partnership, Baseball Club of Seattle, LLP, The Phillies, L.P., Los Angeles Dodgers,
 25 LLC, and Los Angeles Dodgers Holding Co. Defendants will seek Plaintiffs’ consent by
 26 stipulation and Proposed Court Order to remove these improperly named entities, and substitute
 27 as Defendants in this action the following entities: Chicago Cubs Baseball Club, LLC,
 28 Pittsburgh Associates, LP, The Baseball Club of Seattle, LLLP, The Phillies, Los Angeles
 Dodgers LLC, and Los Angeles Dodgers Holding Company LLC. The parties in the related
Senne matter (3:14-CV-00608-RS), have agreed to such a stipulation. (Dkt. No. 145). Counsel’s
 appearance on behalf of the incorrectly named Defendants is without waiver of or prejudice to its
 position that they have been improperly named in this action.

1 Dated: August 20, 2014

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4 By /s/ Laura Reathaford
Laura Reathaford

5 **Attorney for Defendants**

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17 PARTNERS LLC; ATHLETICS INVESTMENT GROUP,
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24 TIGERS, INC.; LOS ANGELES DODGERS, LLC; LOS
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